Isaac Straus Headed Chemical Co. Here as a Blind

Ordered Interned With 20 Others

Von Bruck, Propagandist. Also Among Aliens on Way South

in custody, and two recently discharged States soldiers, arrived here yesterday, and will start for Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, to-day. They have n ordered interned for the duration

Dr. Isaac Straus and Joseph von Bruck are the two masters of Prussian espionage and propaganda would not only have been dangerous to America's cause, but fatal to many of Pershing's men on the battlefront.

Straus was the publisher of "The country from finding out the character American Jewish Chronicle" and also of the official statements.

"3. That accidents in training, while Company, which has two large factorics in Brooklyn. He is known to have made bids for making gas masks for American soldiers, and in this way to have tried to get the formula for the chemicals used in the masks. According to Federal authorities he intended to send these formulas to Berlin, where German chemists might produce a gas against which the masks would be useless.

Active in Propaganda

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Von Bruck has been in this country for some time as agent of the Mannes-mann Tube Works, of Germany. He handled large amounts of money coming from Germany. He has been actively engaged in propaganda work, according to officials, and has been in communication with Berlin since the

United States entered the war.
Dr. Straus, who is an expert chemist, came here in the fall of 1914. He was sent on a special mission by the Committee of the East in Berlin and brought a fund of \$15,000 with him to carry on his work. In 1916 he founded "The American Jewish Chronicle," which has offices in Forty-second Street

Street.

About six weeks ago agents of the Maval Intelligence Service arrested Straus at the Hotel Nassau, Long Beach, where he was living in a luxurious suite with his wife and children. He was sent to Ellis Island, and later to the Mercer County prison, while agents of the government investigated his case. This investigation has been directed by Assistant United States Attorney Robert Stephenson, who recommended that the man be interned.

The Committee of the East in Berlin was founded in 1914 with an object of spreading propaganda which

Bernstorff and Dr. Dernburg

Questioned About Funds

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stranger came to his hotel and delivered a package containing \$30,000. He
denied that he knew just where this
money came from, but said that it had
all been used for the paper. Later,
Herr H. Albert, financial attaché of
the German Embassy, turned over \$85,
000 to him. He gave a receipt for this
money, but never accounted to his
Prussian superiors for the other donations.

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American Jewish Chronicle" has neverwell-set the content of the matter of "official publicity," the committee says it
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In the Chrosmos Chemical plants large quantities of benzoate of soda and toluol were kept. In addition potassium of permanganate and sodium of permanganate were handled in bulk. All of these chemicals are ingredients of high explosives. Straus had no permit to handle these chemicals and in doing so, being an enemy alien, he violated the President's proclamation.

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It is believed by the Federal agents
that the chemical plants were operated
to give Straus an opportunity to bid
for United States Government con-

Von Bruck came from Dusseldorf, Germany, and was arrested some time ago in his office at 30 Church Street. In 1911 he was ordered to South America, and spent several years there in the employ of the Mannesmann Tube Works. He came to this country in 1913. He was sent to study the people and reported to Berlin regarding condi-

war, when copper was needed in Germany, von Bruck tried to purchase 12,000 water meters for a concern in Buenos Ayres. Investigation of this order revealed that the South American firm had nothing to do with the order, and it is believed that yon Bruck was endeavoring to send them to Germany for the copper that was in them.

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Among his effects was found a study of New York just prior to America's entrance into the war. He expressed the opinion that a newspaper should be purchased by the Germans if they were to get German propaganda before the people. He said that The Tribuce was a recollistic than the content of the people. which provision was made in the Avivfore the people. He said that The
fribune was so pro-Ally that the Germans could not have any of their
propaganda published in it. Of "The
World," he wrote that it was pro-Ally
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Another Man Interned

and had seen service in the Philippines and Mexico.

Sergeant Franz Kreisel, who has been stationed at Fort Strong, Boston Harbor, is among those who will start for the internment camp to-day. He has been in the army seven years. He is said to have made seditious remarks to his brother soldiers.

Dr. Karl Oscar Bertling, an intimate friend of von Bernstorff and who was associated with Dr. Muck, was also in the party brought from Boston. He married Miss Helen Glotz, of Gramercy Park, in Boston on Wednesday night when it was learned that the Federal authorities had decided to intern him. Baron von Hasberg, another of the enemy aliens, has been prominent socially in this city and the West. He was a frequent visitor at the German Club, which was closed last week.

Others who will go to Oglethorpe are William O. Fauer, Alfred Pick, Charles Quitzmann, from New York; Karl Jochheim and Hermann Luhmann, from Brooklyn; Gustave Brewer and Lazzeri Edegio, from Trenton; William Hohoage, from Hoboken; Otto Adolph Johannes, from Newark; John Helenkamp, William Tachenberg, Karl Hilbert, Oscar Rau and Herman Tummler, from Boston. All were detained at the Tombs last night.

Baker Hides Aero Failure, Engineers Say

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Production Lagging

"On February 20, 1918, an Associa Press dispatch stated that 'control the air in the American sector belo to the enemy,' On the same date, viously to counteract the impressible for unutilized, with the result that delays occur through ignorance of conditions, and no improvements are made either in the 'planes now being produced or in those which may be expected to be produced for the programme of 1919. In other words, even the programme of the next year is imperilled unless steps are radically taken to combat this evil.

"6. The production of the fighting This first shipment, though in its statement authorized as complete a picture as is permissi under military requirements of problem and the progress in equipp the air service with fighting 'planes.

"The picture is so complete that can't help seeing in it things that not in the original landscape. "Irist first American built battle 'planes to-day en route to the front in Franchise."

"6. The production of the fighting planes for the front is lagging through lack of cooperation between the engineering, procurement and production departments, which is due to their fail-

ings were finished on the assumption that they would be correct. It is absolutely impossible that this should be true, as before the tools can be made

craft engine produced in any country. The final test confirmed our faith in the new motor in every degree." We know, however, that this is untrue, because the engine is barely in the final

The next statement which contains inaccuracies of a still graver character has been issued by the Secretary of War in October, 1917. At that time it was stated that "work is in progress on practically the entire number of aeroplanes and moters for which provision was made in the Aviation bill passed by Congress in July." As a matter of fact, at that time practically no work was in progress on the

A Handy Man Around the House



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sentation to 'intrench themselves," have seriously joopardized the country and have annecessarily exposed our soldiers to needless loss of life."

No Machines in France

and reported to Berlin regarding conditions here. He cultivated the acquaintance of Morris Hillquit, Jeremiah O'Leary and L. W. Alexander, editor of "Issues and Events."

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I.W.W. Like Judge Landis, But Call Jurors "Scissorbills"

Court Grants Them Safety Razors-They Put "Third Rail" Doran in Centre of Prisoners, Where His Red Beard and Hair Will Be Inconspicuous

tle of the "Whiskerless Bolsheviki"

sanitary that some prisoners refused to patronize it and permitted their beards to run riot all over their faces. In this smooth-shaven land a beard, at best, is considerable of a handier.

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Judge Landis ruled that the trial could not proceed until he had appeared.
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An echo from Russia is sou Tis the chimes of a true liberty; It's a message for millions resounding. To throw off your chains and be free

their opinion of the jurors and their opinion of the jurors and veniremen is not so favorable. "A bunch of scissorbills," they were described by one prisoner, who bears the blue scars of a mine explosion. "Scissorbills," be it known, is the term applied by red cardmen to all workingmen who are content with the present social system.

Counsel Hints at Defence

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Plumber Tentatively Accepted

William Mallow, a plumber who em-

4 Men in Auto Get \$2,000 From **Express Drivers**

Bold Robbery in Jamaica Nets Highwaymen Big Haul

a few hours had arrested several men pects, however, had been identified up

The money was locked in a small safe, carried in one end of the express wagon. A few blocks from the station, Fleming, who was driving, drew over toward the curb to allow a big automobile coming up behind to pass. Instead, the machine halted directly in front of the express wagon and three

and caught a passing trolley car. A few blocks further on all four left the trolley and took a small automobile standing in the street and escaped.

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Late in the afternoon Patrolman dartin Brown, of the Newtown station, arrested Joseph Krauss, of 337
East Twenty-second Street, on a trolley car passing through Elmhurst, L. I.

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Others refer to her "Yvonne Durand," "Du and "Durand Pachetau."

Mr. Swann declined to results of his expenses. krauss denied any knowledge of the robbery, but the police say he was picked out of a line of twenty men by one of the express messengers. He was one of the express messengers. He was one message that the robbery larger than the robber larger than the

Shoes and Ships And Sealing Wax

By BRIGGS

Season of hope is spring; season of new things growing. Now, while the birds first sing, stars for our dead are glowing white on the borders red where service flags are flying—red for the heart's blood shed, white for the souls undying—stars that shine in the sun like blossoms the winds awaken. Proudly the banners swing; we with our hearts unshaken hold to one splendid thing. Season of hope is spring.

German styles in neckwear are changing. John W. Rynders, a grocer of Athens, Ill., who seemed too fond of the Kaiser to suit the feelings of his fellow townsmen, is now wearing the Stars and Stripes as a muffler. After what his neighbors told him would happen if he removed it, he doesn't even dare to take it off at night.

"Up to date, I've always regarded Congressmen as sort of like the run of ordinary folks," says Uncle Abimelech Bogardus, of Preakness, N. J., "but now I see by the papers that Shillenberger, of Nebraska and Gordon, of Ohio, are on a vacation, so the draft bill can't be passed until they get back. My hat is off to Congressmen. They're bigger than the whole future of America."

Isador Saas didn't achieve his ambi tion of becoming a first-class Boy scout the police prevented him. After his attempt he didn't regain his freenom for four days, which can also be laid to the police. One of the requirements for a Scout (first class) is ability as a map maker, and unfortunate. Isador selected the Aqueduct section for his map making.

for his map making.

"A German spy," quoth the first policeman who met him. That was four days ago. Since then Isador has been proving that he wasn't one. Yesterday he succeeded.

"Be Kind and Patient," Hylan's Rules for Judges

Magistrate MacMahon Expounds Mayor's Precepts in Decid-

ing His First Case

These, according to the newly appointed Magistrate J. Gratton MacMahon, who heard his first case yesterday, are Mayor Hylan's precepts for all judges.

judges.

The magistrate was scolding Patrolman Evans, who had arrested Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly, of Barren Island, on charges of intoxication and neglecting their three children. The policeman was telling what he had seen in the Kelly house the night before.

"Just a minute, officer," said Magistrate MacMahon in the midst of the tirade. "When Mayor Hylan notified Special Sessions Judge Albert V. Voorhees and myself of our appointment he said: "Gentlemen, the judges of inferior courts are just as important as are those of the highest courts in the land. Be patient at all times; decide without passion; he laid missing the land.

'Let us take our Mayor's adivce,"

Senate Votes to Merge Service Commissions

ownership, which, he argued, was due bail to the Public Service Commissions becue?

Counsel Hints at Defence

Attorney Vanderveer, chief counsel for the I. W. W., showed by his questionings of jurers to-day that National Secretary William Haywood, one of the prisoners, was right when he said they would attempt to make this not only a trial of individuals, but a trial of the present social system.

In questioning one venir man Mr. Vanderveer asked:

"Can you conceive of a sawmill that is owned by everybody that works in it? A mill where there is no boss; no payroll and where all the workers share and share alike in the profits?"

The bandits' car had proceeded only a short distance when the engine shalled directly in front of the express wagon and three men jumped out.

While the fourth man remained in the car the three levelled revolvers and ordered the express messengers to open the safe, which Allen did. As soon as they obtained the money the men ran back to the automobile and started off at high speed.

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What Is Going On To-day

Woman and 4 Men Held as Witnesses In Cohen Murde

Frequenters of Broadway Seized Early To-day by Prosecutor's Order

Bail Offers Refused

Swann to Ask Indictment Rothenberg Immediately as Slayer

writ of habeas corpus. It liss adjourned the hear o'clock to-day. The principal witness before the grand jury will be Joseph Edney, the Ninety-second Street, where Cohen was shot. Edney pursued the slayer as far as Columbus Avenue, and says he is

MANHATTAN

The Manless Job and the Johess Man." Lelant Rex Robinson, Wadleden High School, 18th Street, wast of Seventh Ave.

Hunting Wolves on Snowsheer." James A. Cenik, shank, P. S. 66. Eighty-eighth Street, east of Pirst Avenue.

Natural Wonders of the United States and Canada, I.e. Roy Jeffers. F. R. G. S. Y. M. C. A., 153 East Eighty sixth Street.

C. A., 153 East Eighty sixth Street and Vernalized United States and Canada, I.e. Roy Jeffers. F. R. G. S. Y. M. California Under Four Flags." Azol Hull Fish. P. S. 52, Broadway, Academy Street and Vernalized Avenue, Inwood.

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and "Durand Pachetau."

Mr. Swann declined to talk about the results of his examination of "Bald" Sauer, proprieter of a place in Siral Avenue, near Firth Street, where Cohes. Rothenberg, Galupo and the mysterion "unknown man" were engaged unin nearly 6 o'clock on the morning of the murder Earthage 1 one of the express messengers. He was locked up, charged with robbery, larceny and felonious assault.

At the Twenty-second Street address detectives arrested three men and a woman, who said she was Dorothy Davis. She said she was twenty years old and that she had run away from her home in Scranton, Penn. six Addresses by Governor Charles, and the American Museum of Natural History. New York Zeological Park, Van murder. Rothenberg and Galupo seel that the "unknown man" went uptors with Cohen, while they repaired to a restaurant at 723 Seventh Avenue.

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